Learn about the changes made to the design, safe-use and training suite of standards for MEWPs/AWPs and how United Academy can help ensure you are in compliance.

ANSI A92 Standard Update



Design (Manufacturer) Changes

- Platform load sensing
- New wind force requirements
- New stability test requirements
- Toe boards now required at entrances on all MEWPs - chain entrances not allowed
- Certain movements prevented when reaching allowed limits of chassis inclination
- The date of the last annual inspection must be displayed on the MEWP
- Operator manual should include MEWP functions, operating characteristics, limitations and devices for familiarization
- Minimum railing heights increased to 43.5 inches

Safe-Use Changes

- Users have the ultimate responsibility to ensure operators are trained and familiarized prior to operating a MEWP
- Users must develop a rescue plan for workers who may require rescue from a platform in an elevated position
- Detailed requirements are provided for different weather conditions
- Operators must stay at least 10 feet away from power lines
- Exiting a MEWP from height is only permitted through a procedure provided by the manufacturer, and now includes “or qualified person”

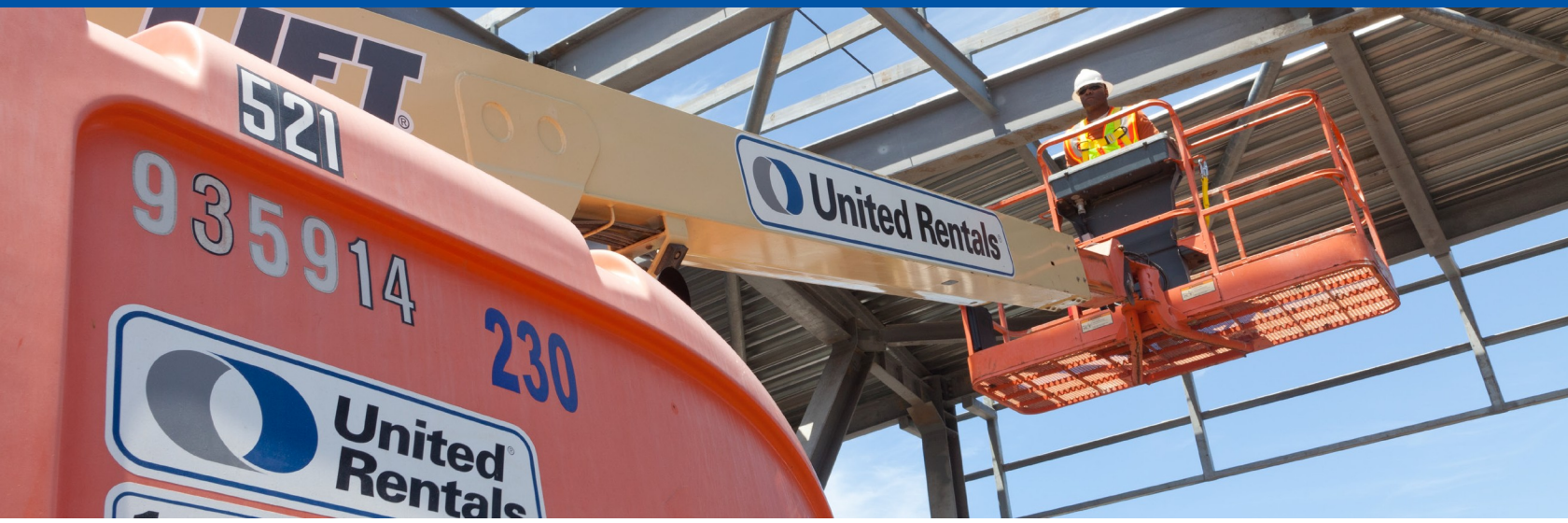
Training Changes

- Training delivered prior to the updated standard will require supplemental training to address the new requirements
- Operator training is required for each MEWP classification
- Users must ensure training is presented in a manner that trainees can understand
- Personnel directly supervising MEWP operators must receive supervisor training

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As a manager/supervisor, how can I ensure I'm in compliance?
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United Academy, in partnership with IPAF, offers MEWP training to ensure supervisors understand the requirements and actions necessary to comply with this standard.

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